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Santa Clara, California  
October 17, 2005Mail Stop AMENDMENT  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to an Office Action dated May 17, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows. Note that this amendment is being filed on October 17, 2005, and hence this amendment is being filed with a request for extension of time for two months, thereby to make this filing timely. Fees for entry of the extension are submitted in a credit card form attached hereto, but if any fees are required for entry of this amendment, please charge the deposit account 50-2263 and identify the charge using the docket number CLX021 US.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.